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In Re Application Of: Shoichiro Usui

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Invention: HIGH-PRESSURE METAL PIPE HAVING CONNECTING HEAD AND METHOD OF FORMING THE
CONNECTING HEAD AS WELL AS SLEEVE WASHER FOR THE CONNECTING HEAD

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated April 21, 2003 finally rejecting Claim(s) 5-14.

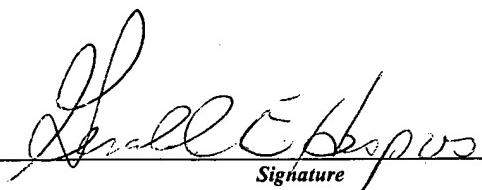
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